

CITY OF
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Environmental Awards
April 22, 2014

*Alex Ameri, Director of Public Works
Utilities & Environmental Services*

Solid Waste Program





Environmental Awards for Schools

Cherryland Elementary School

Itoco Garcia, Principal
Jacqueline Lafitte, Teacher
Karen Brown, Teacher

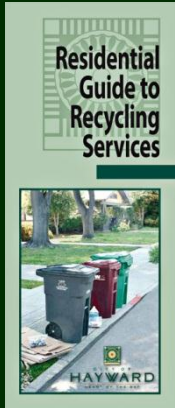
Faith Ringgold School of Arts and Science

Rosalinda Canlas, Principal
Jill Strother, Office Manager
Thomas McDonald, Senior Custodian
Thomas Reich, Teacher, Grades 6 & 7



Neighborhood Awardees

SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTS



Michael and Sara Chan

Debbie and David Deangelis

Dolores Ferreira

Virginia Fulkerson

Greg Garrity

Valerie & Russell Hutchinson

Connie & Douglas Johnson

Karen and Felix Martinez

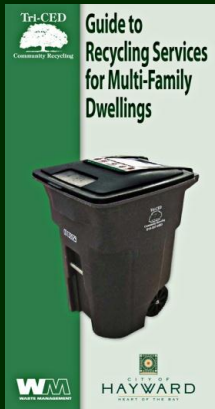
Shelly Nava

Stephen Pinocci

Gorge Sanchez

José Vigil & Justin Nguyen

MULTI-FAMILY RESIDENTS



Jenny Abruzzo, Manager, Coral Gardens Apartments

Pat Giles, Manager, Fletcher Garden Apartments

Michelle Green, Manager, Eden Senior Housing

Joe Silva, Manager, Ron Silva Properties

Eleanor, Gary & Ron Thomsen, Managers, Triangle Garden Apartments



Mixed Recyclables Collection

Materials are co-mingled and collected by Waste Management in carts or bins, as shown.

Collection of mixed recyclables is available to businesses at *no additional charge*.

Acceptable materials include many types of paper, as well as food and beverage containers made of glass, plastic and metal.

About 79% of the larger businesses in the City participate in this program, of which more than half started in the past four years.



Organics Collection

Rates for this service are *half the price of garbage service*. Businesses may use carts or bins, as shown.

Acceptable materials include:

- fruits and vegetables
- untreated wood
- meat, fish, poultry and dairy
- food-soiled paper

There are 122 businesses participating in this program, of which more than half started in the past four years. The finished compost is used as a soil amendment.



Arteaga's Food Center

Arteaga's Food Center, 226 Jackson Street, sells a wide variety of fresh produce, meat, and groceries. Catering services are also provided.

Staff implemented separate collection of recyclables and organics about three years ago, and reduced its trash service costs by about 34%. Their goal is to reduce energy and water usage by 20% from their 2011 baseline.

Purchasing recycled-content paper, envelopes and janitorial paper supplies is standard.

Accepting the award is Alonzo Lopez, President, and Lupe Lopez



Staff from Arteaga's Food Center



Dupont Pioneer

Dupont Pioneer, 4010 Point Eden Way, is a biotechnology firm that conducts research using crop seeds and plants. Their 45,000 square foot campus is a LEED® Registered building. Their facility includes low-flow water fixtures, energy-efficient light ballasts, and Energy-Star appliances. All wood furnishings are certified by the Forest Stewardship Council. A total of 103 employees work at this facility.

Separate collection of recyclables and organics has resulted in a 48% reduction in trash service costs.

Accepting the award tonight is Victor Stephenson, Site Facility Manager.



From left to right: Mike Bennett, SH&E Manager; Eli Smith, Green House Team Leader; Robin Emig, Site Leader; Sandra Boss, Administrative Coordinator; and Victor Stephenson, Site Facility Manager.



The company's state-of-the-art greenhouse.



Hayward Produce Market Taqueria

The Hayward Produce Market, located at 370 Winton Avenue, offers fresh produce, meat and groceries. Catering services are also provided. The market employs ten staff.

Separate collection of recyclables and organics has resulted in a 50% reduction in trash service costs. Compostable to-go containers are also provided customers.

The owner, Byung Kim, has set as a goal to reduce energy use by 5% over last year.



Staff from Hayward Produce Market Taqueria



Moreau Catholic High School

Moreau Catholic High School, 27170 Mission Boulevard, has 907 students enrolled and employs 102 staff.

Water conservation measures include manual controls, rather than automated systems and regular monitoring for leaks.

Separate collection of recyclables and organics has reduced the school's trash service costs by about 50%. Staff uses green products recommended by its cleaning and maintenance contractor and that comply with LEED.

The school offers a green engineering course where students investigate solar and wind energy and alternative fuel vehicles.

Accepting the award is Tom Alcott, Site Services Director and Kim Rivera, Student and Earthwise Club member.



From left to right: Tom Alcott, Site Services Director; Jessica Guidotti, Teacher & Advisor for Earthwise Club; Kim Rivera, Student & Club Member; Andie Teresi, Student & Club Member; and Serena Maniscalco, Teacher & Advisor for Earthwise Club.



Lea's Christian School, Montessori School & New Bridges Presbyterian Church

Lea's Christian School and the Montessori School have a total of about 160 students ranging from pre-school through grade four and 25 staff.

Separate collection of recyclables and organics has resulted in a 40% reduction in trash service costs.

Students separate for recycling their food and beverage containers. Bringing lunches in reusable containers is promoted through the Green Lunch Club.

Accepting the award are Nelson Mosi from New Bridges Church; Melva Bland, Principal; Marie Stump, Pre-School Director; Teachers Cheryl Gerard, Janet Yoshida and Terri Ho; and students from Lea's Christian School.

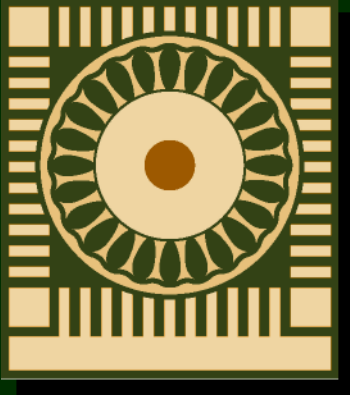


Above: Students at
Lea's Christian
School



Right: the Green
Lunch Club lists
students who bring
their lunch in a
reusable bag.





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**Thank you and
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